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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the Specification by replacing the paragraph at page 22, beginning at 8 with the following paragraph:

To obtain such an image, a transmissive disc of the type shown in FIGS 2A-2C may be used (although a reflective disc would be operable), and to use a disc drive system of the type shown in FIG. 3 including trigger sensor 218 and top detector—214_218. Trigger detector 214 detects a trigger mark 162 in a transmissive disc and provides a signal to a computer that data is to be collected and/or processed when that mark is detected. As the light source passes across the tracks in the viewing window, an image is obtained for the received transmitted light. The top detector in this case can be a single detector, or an array of multiple detector elements oriented in the radial and/or circumferential direction. Such detectors and detection methods are described, for example, in Provisional Application Serial Nos. 60/247,465, filed November 9, 2000; and 60/293,093, filed May 22, 2001, each of which is incorporated herein by reference.